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Subject: public comment on Mirant Potomac River Generating Plant

Attention Mr. Terry Darton, Air Permit Manager Virginia Department of Environmental Quality Northern Regional Office 13901 Crown Court, Woodbridge, VA 22193

Dear Mr. Dalton:

The Mirant Potomac River Generating Plant in Old Town, Alexandria, VA is the single largest air polluter in our region. It burns coal using old dirty technology. Furthermore, the State of Virginia has not required this plant to install modern pollution control technology, like Maryland does for its power plants.

I oppose Mirant's proposal to use blowers, which will disperse pollutants high into the air throughout our region.

This plant is in a highly populated residential area, and should be closed down permanently.

Thank you for your consideration,

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